Appl. No. 10/004,432 Amdt. dated November 1, 2004 Reply to Office action of July 1, 2004





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Honorable Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313 Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

**AMENDMENT** 

Sir:

In response to the Office action of July 1, 2004, Applicant requests the entry of the following documents: (1) a "Declaration of Deposit of Biological Material" signed by the undersigned attorney; and (2) a copy of the ATCC deposit receipt of the GF-1 cell line (PTA-859). In addition, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

A one-month of extension of time is requested and an amount of \$55 to cover the one-month extension is hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-2518. However, if additional extensions of time are needed to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any additional fees required therefor and any other fee deficiency are hereby authorized to be charged, any overpayments credited to, the aforementioned Deposit Account.

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